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Secretary Glickman,

I am greatly concerned knowing that myself and family are eating genetically altered foods without being told that fact. There is a growing awareness among Americans of the potentially grave dangers of genetically altered products, and we are appalled at the attitude of government agencies who have embraced corporations creating food, and never informing the public this had been taking place with the world food supply.

With "safety proven first" being scrapped by this administration in favor of "corporate economic interests," the consumers right to know and thus our right to choose whether to eat these foods or not, has been taken from us.

Myself and family insist that genetically altered foods be labeled as such, regardless of whether the food is in it's whole state or as an ingredient in processed foods. This is not only an issue about what we are eating, it's about the lack of democratic decision making, a right to the knowledge that will give us free choice.

This is not my first letter to you on this issue, and I'm still waiting to hear from you what is being done about this alarming situation.

Sincerely,

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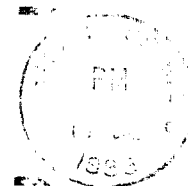
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